

Compassion Cremation Service

General Price List

These prices are effective as of **January 1, 2016**, but thereafter subject to change without notice.

ITEMIZED SELECTIONS

The goods and services shown below are those we can provide to our customers. You may choose only the items you desire. However, any funeral arrangements you select will include a charge for our basic services and overhead. If legal or other requirements mean you must buy any items you did not specifically ask for, we will explain the reason in writing on the statement we provide describing the funeral goods and services you selected.

DIRECT CREMATION.....\$950.00

If not paid within 24 hours.....\$1150.00

The charge for a direct cremation includes removal of body, local transportation to crematory, necessary authorizations, and limited basic services of the staff. This charge **does not include the cremation permit fee**. The charge does not include the use of facilities and staff for any visitation or ceremony, public or private, prior to the cremation. If you want to arrange a direct cremation, you can use an alternative container. Alternative containers encase the body and can be made of materials like fiberboard or composition materials (with or without an outside covering). The container we provide is fiberboard box.

Our charge for a direct cremation includes our basic service charge, transportation from the place of death (additional mileage charge beyond 30 miles), sheltering of remains and transportation to the crematory. If you want to arrange a direct cremation, you can use an alternative container. Alternative containers encase the body, and can be made of materials like fiberboard or composition materials (with or without an outside covering). The containers we provide are made of cardboard.

Paperwork completed electronically by authorized agent/next-of-kin

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***To receive this discounted rate, payment must be made at the time services are called for.**

ALL SERVICES MUST BE PAID WITHIN 48 HOURS from time of removal of Decedent

ADDITIONAL MILEAGE.....(per-mile/one way) \$2.00
Beyond a distance of 30 miles from our location.

SERVICES INCLUDED

- * Transportation of deceased from anywhere in Wisconsin to crematory
- * Professional services of Funeral Director and staff
- * Sheltering of remains until cremation can take place (48 hours Minimum required by state law)
- * Minimum cardboard cremation container and minimum plastic urn
- * Filing all state required paperwork
- * Cremation completed in approximately **14 days**, pending paperwork from doctor and/or coroner. (Please contact us prior to scheduling a memorial service if you wish to have the cremated remains present at the service.) **THERE IS A RUSH FEE OF \$450.00 IF REQUESTED BEFORE THE 14TH DAY**
- * Friendly, compassionate staff to assist you
- * Paperwork completed electronically by authorized agent/next-of-kin
- * Shipping of cremated remains to anywhere in the U.S. by registered mail
- * Verification of death for obituaries submitted by family
- * Dignified care of your loved one
- * Follow-up grief material mailed to family members

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Services that are Not Included

- * Cremation permit fee or any other fees charged by county coroner (varies by county)
- * Assistance with memorial/funeral service/burial
- * Assistance with filing military paperwork/benefits
- * Private viewing or witnessed cremation (options may be available at an additional cost)
- * Assistance with obituary submission (however verification of death will be provided by funeral director to any papers that request it)
- * Priority or "rush" removal of deceased from location of death (We will always dispatch a funeral director immediately at the time of death to contact you by phone. However, if we must call a funeral home outside of our network to assist with a time-sensitive removal, additional charges may apply. Hospice or hospital staff cannot require you to call a local funeral home and pay a higher charge to have the deceased removed sooner.

(WI Statute 135.04 states that family has up to 12 hours to arrange for the deceased to be removed.)

*Removals requiring additional manpower may incur an additional charge (oversized person, full flights of stairs, unusual circumstances of death, etc. cost are calculated per case)

***A refrigeration charge of \$75 per day will be added after 5 days if the cremation is unable to be performed due to a delay in receiving paperwork from the Authorized Agent or next of kin.**

ADDITIONAL GOODS AND SERVICES URNS..... \$100.00 and UP
REGISTER BOOK..... \$35.00
Programs.....50 program with 1 color photo on cover \$45.00
THANK YOU CARDS.....per box of 25 \$16.00
FAMILY VIDEO TRIBUTE (DVD).....first copy -\$45.00
Up to 30 photos included; anything over 30 photos will be charged an additional \$1.00 per photo. There is an additional charge of \$20.00 for each additional copy of the video.

PREPARATION FOR PRIVATE VIEWING.....(within first 24 hours).....\$150.00-\$750.00
MAILING OF CREMATED REMAINS.....\$100.00
MAILING OF PERSONAL EFFECTS.....Actual Cost + \$20.00
STORAGE OF CREMATED REMAINS (beyond the first 30 days).....\$50.00/month
SCATTERING OF CREMATED REMAINS (per family's request).....\$100.00
DELIVERY OF CREMAINS.....\$50.00

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This price includes delivering cremated remains within the city Madison, Beloit or Janesville; outside the city, there is an additional cost of \$2.00 per mile

CASH ADVANCE ITEMS

The above list does not include charges for certain items that you may ask us to arrange and pay for on your behalf. This would include such items as certified copies of the death certificate, hairdressing charges, clergy honorariums, musician fees, cemetery charges, medical examiner or coroner's fees, newspaper obituary charges, airline fees, flowers or any other item provided by a third party. The charges for these items will be shown on your Statement of Goods and Services Selected provided at the arrangement conference. Some of these items may be estimated at the time of the arrangement conference but will be itemized as soon as the charges are presented to us.

PAYMENT POLICY

All service and merchandise charges from our funeral home and cash advance items (including estimated cash advances) are due and payable 48 hours after service are called upon. Verified insurance assignments are gladly accepted and a fee will apply. We will work with you and the insurance company to file any claims and assignments. We do not accept estate claims.

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